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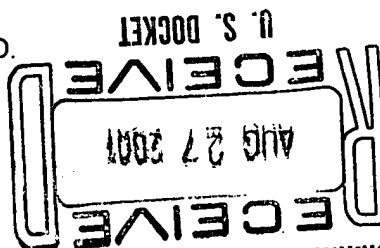
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An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.
Applicant must submit \$ 710 to complete the basic filing fee and/or file a small entity statement claiming such status (37 CFR 1.27).
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$108.
 - \$108 for 6 total claims over 20.
- The oath or declaration is missing.
A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 948.**

The application is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below.

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Substitute drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 because:
 - drawing sheets do not have the appropriate margin(s) (see 37 CFR 1.84(g)). Each sheet must include a top margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a left side margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a right side margin of at least 1.5 cm. (5/8 inch), and a bottom margin of at least 1.0 cm. (3/8 inch);
 - Drawings must be reasonably free from erasures and must be free from alterations, overwritings, interlineations, folds, and copy marks.

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In re Application of:

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Serial No.: 09/899,808

Filing Date: July 5, 2001

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SUBMISSION OF SUBSTITUTE FORMAL DRAWINGS

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Dear Sir:

In response to the outstanding Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application mailed August 21, 2001,¹ please find enclosed twelve (12) sheets of substitute drawings in

¹ A Petition to extend the time for filing these drawings has been filed concurrently herewith.

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Dear Sir:

In accordance with the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application Filing Date Granted dated August 21, 2001, a copy of which is attached, enclosed herewith for filing are the following documents:

- ☒ Fully executed Declaration for Patent Application and Power of Attorney for the above-referenced patent application.
- ☒ Applicant is:
 - ☐ a small entity, verified statement is:
 - ☐ attached
 - ☐ already filed
 - ☒ other than small entity
- ☒ A check totaling \$1158.00 for:
 - ☒ Filing Fee of \$740.00.
 - ☒ Surcharge of \$130.00.
 - ☒ Additional Claim Fees of \$288.00.
- ☒ Petition for Extension of Time (37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)) to file missing parts (in duplicate).
- ☒ A check totaling \$920.00 for a three (3) month extension of time fee.
- ☒ Preliminary Amendment.
- ☒ Submission of Substitute Formal Drawings.
- ☒ 12 substitute formal drawings.
- ☒ Information Disclosure Statement (in duplicate).
- ☒ Form PTO 1449.
- ☒ Copies of 69 cited references.
- ☒ Return receipt postcard.

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